

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

DONALD AGEE, JR., an individual;  
JEROME BENNETT, an individual;  
DENNIS LEORY BLACK, JR., an individual;  
JAMEE BURBRIDGE, an individual;  
BEVERLY ANN BURRELL, an individual;  
JEMELL COTTON, an individual; TERESA  
DUBOSE, an individual; KAREN  
FERGUSON, an individual; MICHELLE  
KEEBLE, an individual; NORMA  
McDANIEL, an individual; GLENDA  
McDONALD, an individual; JANET MARIE  
OVERALL, an individual; SHIRLEY L.  
RADDEN, an individual; DAVONTE  
SHERARD, an individual; MICHELLE T.  
SMITH, an individual; KENYETTA SNAPP,  
an individual; DONYALE STEPHEN-  
ATARA, an individual; and TANESHA  
WILSON, an individual,

No. 1:22-cv-00272

THREE-JUDGE PANEL  
APPOINTED PURSUANT TO 28  
U.S.C. § 2284(a)

**CERTIFICATE OF  
COMPLIANCE**

Plaintiffs,

v

JOCELYN BENSON, in her official capacity  
as Secretary of State of Michigan;  
MICHIGAN INDEPENDENT  
REDISTRICTING COMMISSION;  
DOUGLAS CLARK, JUANITA CURRY,  
ANTHONY EID, RHONDA LANGE,  
STEVEN TERRY LETT, BRITTNI  
KELLOM, CYNTHIA ORTON, M.C.  
ROTHHORN, REBECCA SZETELA,  
JANICE VALLETTE, ERIN WAGNER,  
RICHARD WEISS and DUSTIN WITJES, in  
their official capacities as Commissioners of  
the Michigan Independent Citizens  
Redistricting Commission,

Defendants.

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